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Attorney Docket No. 9251-2

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re: James Pruett
Application No.: 10/606,049
Filed: June 25, 2003
For: WASTE CONTAINER WITH SECURITY FRAME

Group Art Unit: 3727
Examiner: E. Lhymn

December 27, 2005

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION
DATED 30 SEPTEMBER 2005**

Sir:

Applicant provides the following response to the Office Action of September 23, 2005 (the Action).

If any extension of time for the accompanying response or submission is required, Applicant requests that this be considered a petition therefore. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee, which may be required, or credit any refund, to our Deposit Account No. 50-0220.

For the Examiner's convenience, a **Listing of the Claims** is provided, beginning on page 2 below.

Remarks begin on page 6 below.